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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

Applicants filed an Information Disclosure Statement ("IDS") on November 8, 2007 that cited, among other references, Japanese Patent Publication No. JP 63-176349 without an English language abstract. Applicants have now provided a partial English language translation and statement of relevance which is cited on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

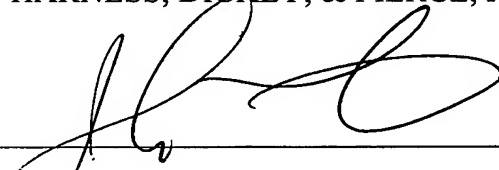
In the attached Form PTO-1449, Applicant lists the English language translation and statement of relevance in the "Other Documents" section. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider this document and return an initialed Form PTO-1449 to reflect the Examiner's consideration, as soon as possible.

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